

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Borthwick *et al.*

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Examiner: J. Nolan

For: PYRROLIDINE-2-ONES AS FACTOR XA INHIBITORS

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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

This communication is in response to the Office Action mailed on March 18, 2008, setting a three-month period for response that expires on June 18, 2008. Applicants believe that no other fees are due in connection with the filing of this paper other than those specifically authorized herewith. If any additional fees for the accompanying response are required, Applicants request that this be considered a Petition therefore and authorize the Commissioner to charge additional fees to Deposit Account No. 07-1392.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.